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Report of Operative G T Purdy

Sept. 1st, 1926.

RE: Jane Gibson

Operative went to Jersey City and made a search at the Hudson County Court House of the records of the Circuit Court at the County Clerk's office. These records should have the suit unless it was before the Supreme Court. Carefully went over the records but the names of Mary Eisleitner or Mary Kesserling did not appear and the judgment records did not show these names of the Hoboken Evening News. Was informed that if the case was tried in the Supreme Court the records of this case would be in Trenton, N.J.

Operative then took the Erie Railroad to Patterson and first went to the County Clerk's office to make a search for the marriage record of Mary Eisleitner and Fred Kesserling and was advised that I would have to get this from the Patterson Board of Health records. Operative then proceeded to the Health Department and was informed that all their records prior to 1902 were burned in the City Hall fire of that year. They suggested that I write to Trenton where they might have a copy of the record I desired.

Operative then went to #105 Gould Ave. and made inquiries for Joseph Patterson. There are two Polish families living in that house and they never heard of anyone by that name. I then went to #165 Gould Ave. and found it to be a vacant lot. Made numerous inquiries in the vicinity, but could not find anyone who knew Joseph Patterson.

Operative then proceeded to Newark to see Captain Brex of the Newark Police Department. When I arrived there it was 5 P.M. and Captain Brex had just left. Inquired if he had left any papers for me and was informed that the man who made the search of the old books had made up a report and given it to the Captain who has it in his desk.